

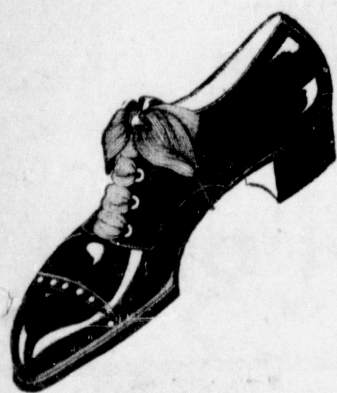
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PROMPT ACTION URGED.

President Taft Transmits Message on Tariff.

CHANGES IN CONDITIONS.

Republican Party Pledged to Revision, and the Country and the Business Community Especially Expect That This Promise Be Carried Out.

Washington, March 16.—The following is the message of President Taft on the tariff sent to congress:

"To the Senate and House of Representatives:

"I convened congress in this extra session in order to enable it to give immediate consideration to the revision of the Dingley tariff act. Conditions affecting the production, manufacture and business generally have so changed in the last twelve years as to require the readjustment and revision of import duties imposed by that act. More than this the present tariff act, with other sources of government revenue, does not furnish income enough to pay authorized expenditures. By June 1 next the excess of expenses over receipts for the current fiscal year will equal \$100,000,000. The successful party in the late election is pledged to the revision of the tariff. The country and business community especially expect it. The prospect of a change in the rates on import duties always causes a suspension or halt in business because of the uncertainty as to changes to be made and the effect. It is, therefore, of the highest importance that the new bill be agreed upon and passed with as much speed as possible, consistent with due and thorough consideration. For these reasons I deemed the present session to be an extraordinary occasion, within the meaning of the constitution, justifying and requiring the calling of the extra session.

"In my inaugural address I stated in a summary way the principal reason upon which in my judgment revision of the tariff should proceed, and, indicated, as at least one new source of revenue that might be properly resorted to in order to avoid future deficit. It is not necessary for us repeat what I then said.

"I venture to suggest the vital business interests of the country require that the attention of congress at this session be chiefly devoted to consideration of the new tariff bill, and less time be given to other subjects on legislation in this session is better for the country.

"WILLIAM H. TAFT."

Forty-four Republican and eleven Democratic senators were in their seats when the president's message was laid before that body and read. After the message was read the senate adjourned until Friday.

Nominations Sent Senate.

Washington, March 16.—The president sent to the senate the following nominations: Consul general at Stockholm, Sweden, Edward Winslow, Illinois; collector of customs, Edward Durant, Jr., for the district of Charleston, S. C.; Rentfro E. Creamer for the district of Brazos de Santiago, Texas; United States circuit judge for the Sixth judicial circuit, John Warrington, Ohio; United States attorney for the Western district of Pennsylvania, John Jordan.

Gold in Gravel.

Massillon, O., March 16.—Gravel which assayists say contains \$40 worth of gold in every ton has found on a farm at Beech Grove, west of here. The assay was made by the chemist of the Ohio state university. The gold is found in dirt which is part of a vein of gravel.

Dumb Animals' Friend Dies.

Boston, March 16.—George Thordike Angell, the "friend of dumb animals" and the leader in the humane educational movement in the United States, died here early Tuesday, aged eighty-six years. He had been failing in health for a long time.

For Relief of Brinkley.

St. Louis, March 16.—At a meeting of 300 business men at the Merchants exchange a fund was started for the relief of sufferers from the recent tornado at Brinkley, Ark.

General Strike Declared.

Paris, March 16.—A general strike was declared by the telegraphers in the bureau of the postal department.

FIGHTS TWO DUELS.

Civilian Slays Both Antagonists, Each Army Man.

Einsnach, Germany, March 16.—A civilian fought two duels here with officers of the army and killed both of his opponents. Pistols were used. The civilian's name is Schuttsbar Milg, and he is a wealthy land owner, residing near Hohonaus. His opponents was a lieutenant, named Von Buttlar, and an army surgeon whose identity has been concealed. Herr Milg's wife is said to be an American. Jealousy prompted him to challenge and fight both army officers, on same day.

STORAGE DISCONTINUANCE.

This Action Relative to Agricultural Implements Decided Upon.

Kansas City, March 16.—The Missouri, Kansas and Texas, Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe, Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific and St. Louis and San Francisco railways have decided to discontinue their storage in transit arrangement on agricultural implements here. The effect of the cancellation of this privilege is to add 4 1/2 cents to freight cost on agricultural implements sold here to Oklahoma destinations.

The decision came after a protest by Oklahoma jobbers, alleging favoritism to local dealers. It really follows the present fight between Kansas City and Oklahoma City regarding the cut in freight rates made by the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railroad from New York to Oklahoma City.

MANY REPRESENTED.

Sentiment Against Tariff Reduction on Coarse Cotton Goods.

Atlanta, March 16.—Representatives of the textile industries of Georgia, Alabama, Louisiana, North Carolina, South Carolina and Mississippi are in session here. Between 250 and 300 cotton mills in the states named are represented. Among the important matters considered is revision of the tariff, there being a strong sentiment against the proposed reduction of the tariff on coarse cotton goods, which are manufactured principally by mills in the south.

Crisis Still Acute.

Berlin, March 16.—Advices at the foreign office concerning the strained situation between Austria, Hungary and Serbia indicate the crisis is still in an acute stage. It is affirmed Austria-Hungary is about to make another effort at Belgrade with a view of bringing Serbia's views into accord with her own. The nature of these representations is not disclosed, but it can be said the dual monarchy will demand a clear explanation of Serbia's intentions. Officials say if Hertia concedes this negotiations will pursue a peaceful course, but if not, hostilities are inevitable, and the only task of the powers will be to localize the conflict.

Sues For Killing of Boy.

Chattanooga, Tenn., March 16.—Ex-Sheriff J. F. Shipp and his bondsmen, J. P. Smartt and G. W. Davenport, are made defendants in a suit filed for \$30,000. Mrs. Carrie Jones is the complainant. Last June Horace Jones, fourteen years of age, was shot and instantly killed by a deputy under Sheriff Shipp. Young Jones had been arrested on some trivial charge and escaped from Deputy Rawlings. Rawlings called to the boy to halt. Hearing the command the boy looked back and received a bullet under the left eye. Rawlings was indicted for murder, but has never been brought to trial.

Protests Innocence to Last.

Auburn, N. Y., March 16.—Salvatore Randazzo, who was convicted in April 3, 1908, for the murder of his cousin, Pietro Randazzo, at West Salamanca, on Jan. 11, 1908, was electrocuted at Auburn prison Tuesday morning. Randazzo claimed to the last that he was not guilty.

Badly Injured.

New Orleans, March 16.—Reports received from throughout a large section of Louisiana indicate that the fruit and produce crops have been badly injured and in many instances entirely killed as the result of low temperature Sunday night.

Child Fatally Scalded.

Clinton, Okla., March 16.—The two-year-old son of John Kroh, living west of Clinton, was scalded to death by falling into a tub of boiling water which the mother had just placed on the floor preparatory to scrubbing.

VISIT FORT WORTH.

Members of Legislature Guest of That City.

Fort Worth, March 16.—Over 100 members of the Texas legislature and employees attended the stock show at the opening of the convention of the Cattle Raisers' Association of Texas. Neither the governor or Speaker Marshall came along.

Mayor Harris welcomed the delegates and visitors on behalf of the city. Captain B. B. Paddock, representing the board of trade, and Hon. T. D. Andrews, for the Feeders and Breeders' show, also delivered addresses of welcome. Hon. W. W. Turvey of El Paso responded.

The address of Hon. Ike T. Pryor, president of the Cattle Raisers' Association of Texas was enthusiastically received.

The members of the legislature visited the Coliseum and witnessed the fine display of livestock and poultry. They departed for Austin at midnight. The party came and returned in eight cars.

INDIGNATION MEETING.

Pass Resolutions Over Not Being Invited to Visit Fort Worth.

Austin, March 16.—Officers, clerks, employees and pages of the legislature held an indignation meeting and adopted resolutions vehemently protesting against the action of city of Fort Worth and incidentally the Tarrant county delegation in not inviting them to jaunt to that city. The meeting was held Tuesday, and a regular organization effected for this purpose and a committee of four members from the house and senate appointed to draft resolutions heaping condemnation on Fort Worth.

The resolutions cite the fact that Houston, Galveston and Dallas invited the legislature to partake of their hospitality and also invited the entire corps of employees, etc., and whereas no city in Texas has asked more favors of clerks and employees than Fort Worth, and concludes as follows:

"Therefore, be it resolved, That we feel that this action on the part of said city is slight and reflection upon employees of the legislature, which is both unbecoming and parsimonious and stingy, we hereby express our resentment at the slight on the part of the city toward us, but we say that said city has lost more than we have in their action in this matter."

Speaker Marshall did not go to Fort Worth with the legislators, but remained here and was busily engaged Tuesday in revising the list of clerks and employees for the special session. It is understood there will be quite a number of changes made in the personnel of the house force and the force may also be reduced. Before adjourning Monday afternoon, he announced that the present force be retained until he had time to look into the situation.

The Jacob Dold Packing company of Buffalo, N. Y., capital \$3,000,000, was granted a permit to do business in Texas. There will be branches at San Antonio, El Paso, Cuero, Gonzales and other Texas cities.

The governor signed the bill for the exemption of certain counties from the fish law; also the bill regulating pay of county commissioners of Bell county; also Temple charter bill and Corpus Christi charter bill.

Former speaker Kennedy went to Fort Worth on the excursion. It is learned that there are other investigations in the air which may include some departments of the state government, but just along what definite lines has not been disclosed.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE.

Business Establishment at Dallas Sustains Considerable Damage.

Dallas, March 16.—A fire which had its inception from an electric light wire caused a loss to the establishment of Sam A. Dysterbach & Co. of between \$50,000 and \$75,000 to the stock and much damage to the building. The firm had just received a large amount of spring goods, consisting of dry goods, millinery and men's clothing. The building had to be thoroughly drenched before the flames and smoke could be subdued. The fire occurred about 10:30 o'clock in the morning.

DOUBLE TRAGEDY.

Hood County Sheriff Kills Woman and Ends His Own Career.

Fort Worth, March 16.—In a boarding house, after a quarrel, John Swafford, thirty-eight years, sheriff of Hood county, and married, shot and instantly killed Geneva Sneed, a Dallas woman, and fired a bullet into his own brain, with fatal effect.

Letters found by police in the trunk of the woman are of an affectionate nature. Swafford's wife and daughter reside at Granbury.

Burbs to Death.

Fort Gibson, Okla., March 16.—Helen Hampton, an aged negro, who lived alone in a small cabin in the west part of town, was found dead, having fallen into the fireplace and burned to death.

Death Due to Morphine.

Dallas, March 16.—P. C. Key, a young man, having relatives at Nome, this state, was found in a dying condition at Salvation Army hotel. He expired in two hours. Death was due to an overdose of morphine.

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Kennedy and Bailey.

Representative Davis of Brazos was
a strong and uncompromising sup-
porter of Senator Bailey in the mem-
orable campaign last year. He was
also one of the leaders among the
friends of Speaker Kennedy in the
fight over the resolution requesting
the Speaker to resign. In his speech
against the resolution Mr. Davis in-
stituted a comparison between the
case of Kennedy and that of Bailey,
saying in substance that there were
men opposing Kennedy who were op-
posed to Bailey, but said that if he
would admit his actions and apolog-
ize they would vote for him. Then
with emphasis Mr. Davis declared:
"Kennedy is not half so guilty as
Bailey," yet he (Kennedy) was ac-
knowledging his errors and asking to
be forgiven. Bailey continued to re-
iterate to the last that he had done
no wrong, hence the assertion of Mr.
Davis that Kennedy is not half so
guilty as Bailey, is highly significant.

If anybody proposes another legis-
lative investigation shoot him on the
spot.

The Democrats and Republican in-
surgents in congress failed to spike
the Cannon.

Mr. Harriman is wearing his last
year's coat. A man with brains or
money can afford to wear old clothes.

Tennessee has discovered "that
prohibition as a paramount issue is
tantamount to a catamount in a dog
fight."

Senator Thomas of Hopkins, who
was expelled last Saturday, is a can-
didate for re-election, but will have
opposition.

When Speaker Kennedy's fingers
first clutched the gavel he ejacu-
lated: "Thank God the people still
rule!" Wonder what he thinks now.

If Governor Campbell were given
the power to appoint the members
he would have a legislature that
would not ignore the platform de-
mands.

Speaker Kennedy lost his rabbit's
foot or else it wasn't the left hind
foot of a graveyard rabbit killed in
the dark of the moon between mid-
night and 2 a. m.

The Merry Moth
is a Busy Mortal Now

Just as soon as you lay aside
your Furs and Winter Wraps,
it's the moth's business to get
busy—and that he does without
fail, yet every year we have to
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The farmers of Southwest Texas
are figuring on how to invest their
union money which is now coming in
in big bunches. By the way, what
are Brazos county farmers figuring
on?

A representative in the Missouri
legislature the other day introduced
a bill requiring that a gain inspector
be required to know the difference
between wheat and corn. This in-
dicates that Missouri is afflicted with
incompetent tax-eaters.

The United States and Mexico will
not allow Nicaragua and Salvador to
fight. After all, nations act very
much like boys. We have all seen
big bullies sometimes encourage and
at other times stop fights between
little fellows.

The Commerce Commercial, edited
by Miss Maid J. Allen, gives this bit
of good advice which is worthy of
all acceptance: "If home people man-
ufacture an article, buy that article
from them in preference to patron-
izing any foreign concern."

Senator Thomas of Hopkins has
our sincere sympathy notwithstanding
the fact that he made himself an
unendurable nuisance and that his
expulsion from the senate was a ne-
cessity. He can't help being a crank
and he is thoroughly in earnest.

It is said that exaggerated reports
of damage to the cotton crop of Tex-
as by the drouth is causing farmers
in the cotton states east of the Mis-
sissippi to greatly increase their
acreage. The bears take advantage
of every circumstance to encourage
the farmers to plant a big crop, and
they generally succeed.

There are plenty of civic-priders
in Bryan but each fellow burns up
too much daylight deploring that he
is the only one. If every one will
take the trouble to inquire he will
find that there are plenty of others;
enough if they will get together to
revolutionize the town.

What have those who have been
asserting that submission was defeat-
ed by the brewers' lobby got to say
about it now? The governor is sup-
posed to be a submissionist, yet he
has submitted to the special session
all the so-called platform demands
except submission. Has the brewers'
lobby been tampering with the gov-
ernor? The Eagle does not believe it.

In these days of salary-grabbing
and treasury looting the refusal of
Mayor Maloney to accept an increase
of salary, voted him by the council
as a reward for his extraordinary
services to the city, is a splendid
example of unselfish sacrifice of his
own interest for the public good,
shines the brighter by contrast with
the prevailing hogghishness in official-
dom.

Lenten Tea.

There will be a Lenten Tea given
by Mrs. J. W. English, Mrs. G. W.
Jenkins and Mrs. Wm. Rigby, at the
home of Mrs. English, on Thursday
afternoon from 4 to 6:30 o'clock.
Everybody cordially invited.

FROM THE STATE CAPITAL

WHAT THE LEGISLATORS AND SENATORS
ARE DOING FOR THEIR STATE AT AUSTIN.

The first meeting of the house for
the called session of the Thirty-first
legislature was convened Monday af-
ternoon, with Speaker Kennedy in the
chair. Rev. George B. Butler of the
First Baptist church of Austin offered
the invocation.

As soon as some preliminaries were
gone through with, the speaker called
the chief clerk to the chair and, step-
ping aside, presented the gavel and
said:

"Mr. Chief Clerk, in accordance with
the request of the house I desire to
return to you the gavel of authority
which was conferred on me at the be-
ginning of the session of this legisla-
ture, and in doing so I feel that it
is just as honorable, just as untar-
nished and unsullied as the day I re-
ceived it. I return it without an apol-
ogy and without a sigh of regret."

"As to the handsome apartments
which the house so generously pre-
pared for me, I desire to state that I
will vacate them as soon as possible,
and I will leave the furniture, too." (Laughter.)

Mr. Kennedy then returned to the
floor, taking his seat in the rear row,
while Chief Clerk Barker rapped for
order and announced that the next
thing was the re-election of a speak-
er.

Pitzhugh thought the first thing in
order was the acceptance of the resig-
nation of Speaker Kennedy.

The chair reversed itself and Robert-
son (Bell) moved that the resig-
nation of Mr. Kennedy be accepted,
which was done, several of the retir-
ing speaker's friends voting no.

Gaines then nominated John Mar-
shall of Grayson county for the speak-
ership.

Rayburn seconded the nomination
and there being no other nominations,
the ballot was taken, resulting as fol-
lows:

Marshall 204, Rayburn 4, Kennedy 2,
Mobley 1.

Chief Clerk Barker declared Mar-
shall elected and, on motion of Dot-
son, he was escorted to the stand by
Rayburn, Dotson, Elliott, Lee, Gaines
and Robertson (Bell) and was sworn in
by the chief clerk.

Mr. Marshall stated that he had
rather have the honor of the speak-
ership than be governor. (Applause.)
He intended to do his very best for
the good of the state and hoped that
every man would tear all differences
and all bitterness out of his heart and
help to hold up his hands in the dis-
charge of his duty. He hoped that for
the sake of the people every member
would confer with him freely in or-
der that the business of the state
would be advanced. (Applause.)

A resolution was adopted providing
for the appointment of two commit-
tees, one to notify the governor and
the other the senate that the house
was ready for business.

The usual resolution to subscribe
for newspapers was decided by a vote
of 63 to 45 to order two paper for each
member.

Hearing on Guaranty Bill.

Senator Hudspeth has announced a
public hearing upon Senator Alexan-
der's guaranty bill before the senate
committee on banking next Monday.

Watch and Chain for Kennedy.

The elective officers of the house
Monday presented Speaker Kennedy
with a handsome watch chain and
Knights of Pythias charm.

At 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon,
Senator H. Bascom Thomas of Sulphur
Springs was expelled from the senate
of Texas for criminally libeling that
body in charging that graft, rotten-
ness and corruption were prevalent
and when called upon to prove his
charges denied that he knew of graft
or corruption other than that connect-
ed with the playing of poker by mem-
bers of the legislature, and when the
senate offered the opportunity for him
to prove that in playing cards that
any member of the senate had been
guilty of either graft or corruption, he
admitted that he did not have the evi-
dence to prove his charges.

His last remarks before the vote
was taken on the expulsion resolu-
tion as offered Saturday was that
he had nothing else to say and that he
was willing to abide by the action of
the senate.

The vote to substitute the following
resolution, signed by Cofer, Bryan,
Holsey, Hayter and Stokes, was lost
by a vote of 19 to 11, the vote being
the same as the vote to expel except
that Senators Hayter and Willacy vot-
ed for the substitute and expulsion.

The substitute was as follows:
Whereas, the Hon. H. Bascom Thom-
as of Hopkins county, Texas, has re-
peatedly preferred charges against
the integrity of this senate, and after
a full investigation of said charges
and every opportunity to develop all
the facts and circumstances surround-
ing said charges, we are of the opinion
that said charges should not have
been made and can not be sustained
and the full investigations that have
been made fail to show or sustain the
charges upon the part of any member
of this senate.

In the Senate.

It was Monday afternoon before the
senate succeeded in getting a quorum.
After notifying the house that it was
ready for business, it decided that
each senator should be allowed five
papers at 75 cents per month each.

The salary of all senate officers was
fixed at \$5 per day. The contingent
expense and mileage and per diem
bills were then finally passed.

A resolution by Terrell (Bowie) pro-
viding for the appointment of a com-
mittee of five to draft bills to conform
to the governor's recommendations
was laid on the table subject to call,
after which the senate adjourned.

Health Board Bill.

Senate committee on public health
Monday reported favorably the Har-
per-Mecham bill abolishing the pres-
ent state health department, and
placing this department under the con-
trol of a state board of health. This
measure was reported without argu-
ment, it being the same board of
health bill that was pending before
the regular session.

Cofer and Stokes Voted.

Austin, Tex.—Senators Cofer and
Stokes were recorded as voting for
submission on Saturday just before
the regular session ended. They were
in the governor's office at the time the
roll call began and returned after it
had been called, but had their names
recorded as voting, a fact which was
not disclosed at the time.

Signed Assistant District Attorney Bill

Gov. Campbell Monday signed Sen-
ate bill No. 137, providing for the ap-
pointment of an assistant district at-
torney in counties with populations of
50,000 each.

By a vote of 71 to 48 the house Sat-
urday adopted an expurgated edition
of the Games-Hill resolution asking
Speaker Kennedy to resign; but he
did not do so. On the contrary, im-
mediately upon the announcement of
the vote he ascended the stand, in-
structed the sergeant at arms to move
the hands of the clock up until they
pointed to the hour of 12, received
the gavel from Speaker Pro Tem
Standifer, and after bringing it down
twice with a resounding whack, de-
clared the house adjourned sine die
in accordance with the concurrent
resolution adopted a few days ago.

Then he had the hands of the clock
pushed ahead again until they pointed
to the hour of 2 and declared the
house in extra session as per the pro-
clamation of the governor received ear-
lier in the day.

Several presentations, of which the
speaker was the chief object, fol-
lowed, during which he was exalted in
the highest terms amidst frequent ap-
plause.

He responded in a pleasant vein, in-
dicating that he entertained no feel-
ings of bitterness for what had taken
place and urged the members of the
house to forget everything that might
have been said in the heat of discus-
sion during the proceedings that led
to the climax.

The house then, without a dissent-
ing vote, on motion of Standifer, adopt-
ed a resolution commending Kennedy.

Henrietta's Bill Signed.

Governor Campbell suspended his
declaration to not sign any more bills
last week long enough Saturday to
sign the Henrietta school district bill
and collecting of claims against cor-
porations.

In the Senate.

There being no quorum present Fri-
day when the roll was called, Senator
Alexander moved a call of the senate
and the sergeant at arms was sent out
to bring in the absentees.

The house bill relating to jury serv-
ice was finally passed.

Finally passed bill permitting cor-
porations to have as many as twenty-
one directors.

Finally passed house bill permitting
towns of over 10,000 population to
adopt the commission form of govern-
ment.

The senate concurred in house
amendment to the bill providing for
the appointment of assistant district
attorneys in counties having a city of
25,000 population or more.

Finally passed house bill granting
aid to indigent widows of Confed-
erate soldiers and sailors.

Finally passed house bill protecting
game and fish in Montgomery coun-
ty.

Finally passed house bill prohibiting
the sale of cannon crackers or torpe-
does.

The senate concurred in house
amendment to the trained nurse bill.
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tion amending the constitution by
exempting from taxation cotton and
woolen mills.

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H. & T. C. Schedule.

No. 3 North bound.....1:38 p.m.
No. 5 North bound.....12:46 a.m.
No. 2 South bound.....3:40 p.m.
No. 6 South bound.....2:48 a.m.

I. & G. N. Schedule.

No. 14 North bound.....12:58 p.m.
No. 15 South bound.....4:11 p.m.

LOCALS AND PERSONALS.

Tyler Haswell is in Houston on business.

John Kosarek was in yesterday from Smetana.

Miss Alberta Adams is visiting relatives in Dallas.

Alex McCallum of Tabor, was in the city Tuesday.

George Clayton was in yesterday from the bottom.

J. H. White was in from his home at Wixon Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Astin are visiting in Houston.

T. W. Drew was down yesterday from his home at Edge.

Uncle Watt Stewart of Reliance, was in the city Tuesday.

Mrs. Fred Simonds and children returned to Austin yesterday.

For Sale—One bed room suite and four chairs. Mrs. F. J. Sheffield. 86

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Kelly of Wixon, were visitors to the city yesterday.

Frank Wilson was in the city yesterday from his home near Kurten.

Second hand road cart for sale; good as new. Apply to M. W. Sims Jr. w22 95

T. A. Honsarling and J. J. Vandiver were in yesterday from Steep Hollow.

Osborn Johnson and Tient Newton went to Houston yesterday afternoon.

J. M. Higgins and Jas. Cooper of Rock Prairie, were in the city yesterday.

L. M. Halton of Benchley, was looking after business matters in Bryan yesterday.

White Wyandott eggs for sale. The popular chicken; \$1.00 for 15. W. E. Graham, Bryan, Route 4. 62

R. E. Blanton was in from Harvey yesterday and carried out a big load of fertilizer.

C. S. Jones of Harvey, and S. L. Lee of Dimmitt, have returned from La Salle county.

Mrs. R. H. Seale and Miss Bessie Seale of Benchley, were in the city yesterday shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Dansby of Steep Hollow, are attending the Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth.

Mrs. W. B. Eldson and Misses Ella and Loula Eldson of Wellborn, were visitors to the city yesterday.

Monroe Edge is moving to Houston and left for that place yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Edge will go today.

Mrs. S. H. Hickman and son Butler returned to Waco yesterday after visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Butler.

Ladies, I will spend Thursday, March 18th, in Houston. All orders will receive my careful attention.

Mrs. Nellie H. Ballard, Agent, Levy Bros., Houston, Texas. 85

S. S. Kelly of Kurten, was in town yesterday. He reports a good season, and corn coming up nicely in his community.

Librarian James Hayes Quarles of the A. and M. College, was in the city yesterday and paid the Eagle office a pleasant call.

For Sale—Brand New Fox Invisable Two Ribbon Typewriter for \$65.00; has latest improvements; nothing the matter with the machine—its a dandy. Apply at Eagle Office. 86

Chas. Carr left yesterday on a business trip on the road. He is now traveling for the Iroquois Manufacturing Co. of Cleveland, Ohio.

Ladies, I will spend Thursday, March 18th, in Dallas. Phone me your orders by noon today. Mrs. Mattie Mike, Agt. for A. Harris & Co. Phone 308. 85

The Eagle is requested to state that the New Century Spellers will be used in the Spelling Match next Friday night between the Methodists and Baptists. Begin at page 117.

The Epworth League of the Methodist church will give a tea on Thursday afternoon from 3:30 to 7. That night a League social will be given at the same place. All leaguers are expected to be present, and all friends of the League invited. 85

J. W. Cloud was in the city yesterday from his home in the Kurten community. Mr. Cloud is a firm believer in cultural methods of fighting the boll weevils. He says he has his rows far apart and plows his cotton while it is hot and dry in the summer, and has never yet failed to make good cotton.

There are some rough, ugly plank at the Eugene Edge corner on the crossing that leads toward Haswell's, that should be replaced with new ones. Some tin that was tacked over a hole in the walk is all broken and the jagged edges are sticking up and pedestrians are liable to be seriously injured by it at any time.

St. Louis Browns Coming.

It is reported that the St. Louis Browns, now in training in Texas, will play A. and M. one day the latter part of next week. This is one of the best of the National league teams and if the weather is good, there will no doubt be a large crowd out from Bryan for the game. And in this connection the Eagle would like to say that the showing made by A. and M. with the New York Giants was as good, or better, than that of the other Texas teams that went up against them. It is not to be presumed from that game that A. and M. has not a good team. The team is a strong one and with sufficient practice there is no question but what they will hold their own with other college teams of the state.

Bryan Ministers Recognized.

There is to be a meeting in Houston the latter part of this week composed of the leading Baptist ministers of the state. Dr. M. E. Weaver, pastor of the First Baptist church, Dr. O. C. Charlton, president of the Texas Woman's College, and Rev. S. W. Kendrick, state evangelist, have all been assigned to places on the program for addresses.

Bazaar-Tea.

Mrs. E. J. Fountain, Mrs. J. Webb Howell, Mrs. J. E. Ponder and Mrs. J. Allen Myers will give a tea at the home of Mrs. Myers, on Thursday, from 4 to 7 p. m. Many pretty articles left over from the recent Bazaar will be on sale during the hours. Everybody cordially invited. 86

The woman who uses a Singer Sewing Machine may have everything in need of work she can desire. She is better dressed at less cost; her children are clothed according to her own taste and ideas; she has attractive table linen and an unending supply of dainty underwear. She is also free from the worry which always comes with the use of a "cheap" machine. Singer Sewing Machine Company, T. A. Satterwhite Salesman, phone 105.

THE WEATHER.

Special to Bryan Morning Eagle.
New Orleans, La., March 16.—Tonight fair. Wednesday fair, warmer. —Cline.

AN ARTISTIC EXHIBITION.

Wilson & Derden's Millinery Opening One of the Greatest Successes Ever Registered in Bryan.

A brilliant week of sight seeing and adoration at the shrine of Dame Fashion, came to a glorious climax in Bryan on yesterday, when Wilson & Derden formally opened their Millinery parlors for the Spring season.

The entire establishment, and especially the upper floor where the splendid display of ready-to-wear garments, suits and elegant reception gowns were shown, was elaborately decorated in a color scheme of "green and white." Potted ferns and palms made a background, and wild smilax was woven into a frieze around the walls, and ran riot over the dainty lace curtains that screened the Millinery Parlors. Of course the prettiest ideas in the decoration were reserved to better display the beautiful offerings of Spring Millinery, because, "millady's bonnet" is just now the one and important thought, uppermost in every woman's head.

The crowds who filled this department during the entire day, were indeed given plenty and beautiful "food for thought" upon this subject, for it is safe to say that nowhere in the state are there prettier hats than are now on exhibition at Wilson & Derden's. And this fact was appreciated by the ladies too, for the reporter was told that the sales were double that of any other Opening Day.

Miss Parker, who has just arrived from St. Louis, and has entire charge of this department, is an artist of ability, and unanimous praise at her handiwork was given unstintingly by all. She is assisted by Miss Wetter, Miss Minnie Braatz and Miss Helen Peverly.

The array of stylish hats is complete, and must be seen to be appreciated. This season's styles are so distinct from all previous offerings that—to this writer—they are beyond description.

One beauty, which was most admired, was a Fifth Avenue shape in pure white, fashioned of maline and massive pearl cabochons with four large white plumes on the left side, drooping toward the front—valued at \$35.00.

An elegant creation in the new Wisteria shades was in the popular Faustina shape, made of rustic braid, with maline drape caught in place by strings of pearls; two long white plumes completed this picture hat.

We were told that Morocco, Wisteria, Canard Green, and Armour Blue were the best colors, and the shapes most to be sought are the Marcelle, Faustina, Longchamp, Medusa and Salome.

The small hats, brilliant with jet are quite "correct" and promise to be very popular. Miss Parker said: "Jet is crazy to be worn this season, and women are crazy to wear it."

Taken as a whole Wilson & Derden's Millinery Opening was a brilliant and beautiful success, and The Eagle is requested to announce that the showing will continue through today, and all are invited.

Methodist Notes.

Arrangements are being perfected to begin a revival meeting at the Methodist church about April 27th, to continue two or three weeks.

The Methodists announce that they are soon to have a trained Christian worker in Bryan to work among the foreign people. He comes from Italy, and is supported and controlled by the Board of Missions of the Texas Annual Conference. The exact date of his arrival cannot now be given.

Elected Delegates.

The Methodist Sunday school last Sunday elected Miss Lillie Hall and Mrs. T. H. Morris delegates to the Methodist State Sunday School Conference, to be held at Waco, April 12, 13, 14. Besides these delegates, the pastor and perhaps others will attend. The railroads give reduced rates, entertainment will be also at reduced rates, and everybody is invited. Over 2000 delegates attended the meeting last year.

Rev. I. F. Betts, who was sent to Marlin to build a much needed new Methodist church, is succeeding famously. The question of location, which has been such an obstacle in the past, has been settled, plans have been secured and the work is going forward rapidly.

Bishop E. E. Hoss, the well known Methodist churchman, who has been so critically ill recently, has had a dangerous surgical operation performed, and is now well on the road to recovery.

In addition to the distribution of religious papers, tract, etc., begun at the Methodist church last Sunday, an effort is being made to establish a circulating library of religious books.

CITY COUNCIL.

Adjourned regular meetings of the City Council were held Monday afternoon and Tuesday afternoon with all officers present.

Monday.

Ordered that the bill of the Fabrie Fire Hose Co. of St. Louis, for \$492, be paid.

Aldermen Fountain and Brandon were appointed to investigate the grading of the I. & G. N. railroad on Burleson and Brazos streets.

The question of rebuilding the city hall, also of building a separate fire station, were discussed and the fire committee was instructed to ascertain the cost of building a fire station, consider a location, etc.

The water committee was instructed to confer with the water company and ask for a price on their entire plant.

Tuesday.

Aldermen Saunders and Derden were appointed to investigate cost of rebuilding the city hall.

The committee to get price on water and light plant reported that they had seen the manager, Mr. Preston, and he promised to come before the Council. Mr. Preston was present and stated that he was not ready to make a price, as it would take some time to get up the figures. He stated that when the city was in shape to buy, he would make a price, but if the city was not willing to pay it, the sale must go ahead and be closed up by arbitration as provided for in the contract. He was not willing for the Council to employ an engineer to look over plant and see if worth the price asked. The Council would not entertain this proposition, but insisted on their right to inspect plant and determine its value for themselves. No action was taken.

Motion prevailed that an invitation be extended civil engineers to come before the Council at next meeting and submit propositions to take charge of improvements under the bond issue.

Adjourned subject to call of the mayor.

Golf at A. & M.

Golf enthusiasm has struck the A. and M. College of Texas, and a newly organized club there is getting things in shape for the game. Dean Charles Puryear, Mr. C. B. Campbell of the faculty and several others came to Bryan a few days ago and consulted with the members of the club here and after learning something of the game, the course, etc., returned to College and the club was organized. Mr. Charles Puryear is president, Mr. C. B. Campbell, vice president, and T. P. Junkin, secretary and treasurer. Membership is open to members of the faculty and their families, officers of the College and their families, and cadets of the college. The course has been laid out southeast of the Main building and practice play has commenced. Yesterday Mr. Junkin, Dr. Blake, Dr. Fraps, Prof. Chastain, Dean Puryear, Mr. Campbell, Mr. Reed, Mr. Carlyle, Mr. Herriek, Mr. Quarles and several others were out for practice play and this morning Mr. Mitchell, Mr. Reed and several others were on the course. Golf clubs, golf balls, etc., have been ordered and such terms as "drives," "tiff green," "fores," etc., are heard by the College men.

Manager Jack Furneaux and Coach Dickinson of the A. and M. College ball team have arranged with the Houston Heights team to play a game at Kyle field at the College, March 26 and 27. The Houston Heights team is composed of a lot of semi-professional players who are signed for the coming season in several of the small towns of the state, and before starting out for their regular work they will come to College Station. It promises to be a good game, and the college people have sent in word to Bryan that everybody is expected to come. It is hoped to make it a real social event. Coach Dickinson is negotiating with the managers of the St. Louis Browns in the hope of getting that team to come up from Houston for a game with the College.

Extra Special.

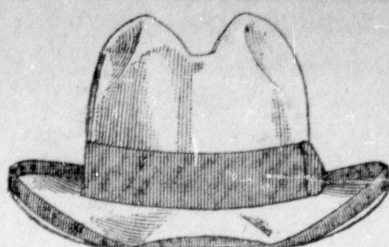
I have received a shipment of special things in men's odd pants, made from merchant tailor's yard and quarter cuts. The very finest goods, and no two pair alike. Made in the height of fashion and worth \$5.00, but are selling at \$3.50. If you need a pair of extra fine pants, don't fail to see them. w 22 85

Posted.

Notice is hereby given that all my lands, and lands leased by me, are posted according to law and all trespassers will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law. 22 93 JNO. E. ASTIN.

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To the Farmers of Brazos County.

Every farmer remembers with pleasure the good derived from attending the farmers' institutes held at the court house. The social feature, the exchanging of ideas alone is worth the while of each farmer to attend. In this day and time the man that has been doing one thing so long that he can't be taught, is out of date, and his neighbor that is willing to learn, will outstrip him in his efforts to better himself.

Mr. J. L. Quicksall of Waco, Texas, who is state agent for the U. S. government for the part of Texas that lies west of the Brazos, in farm demonstration work, will address the farmers of Brazos county at the court house Wednesday, March 24th, at 2 o'clock. Mr. Quicksall is in a position to tell us something that will be of untold value to each of us. He is an experienced farmer, an untiring worker, and has done a great work in his part of Texas. Don't think you can't spare the time from your crop on that evening, for you will surely learn and hear something that will save you time and labor enough to increase your yield of cotton fully one bale to the farm. It is not the farmer that works the hardest or does the most drudgery work that makes the most, but it is the one that uses his mind and puts into practice his own study and information gained from others. Don't let anything interfere with this meeting. Remember the date—Wednesday, March 24th, at 2 o'clock. FARMER.



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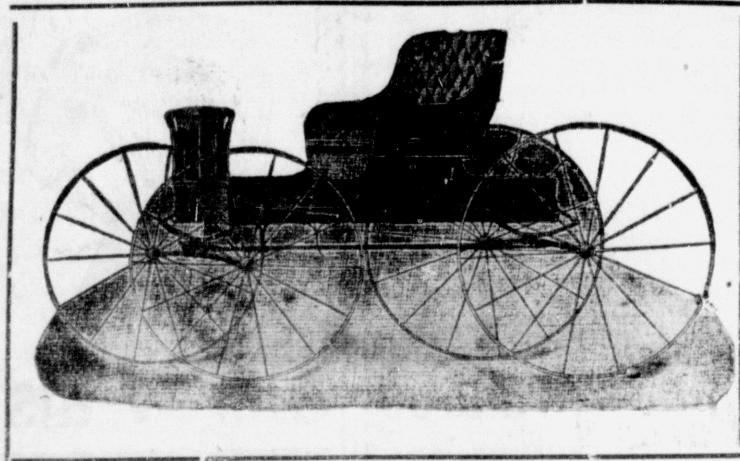
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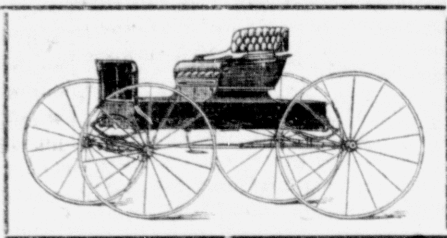
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Wilson Rye, was \$1.50 now 1.25	Beach Grove Rye, was \$1.50 now \$1.00
Hunter Rye, was \$1.50 now 1.25	Willow Grove Rye, was \$1.50 now \$1.00
Walker's Canadian Club, was \$1.75 now 1.35	Imported French Cognac, was \$2.50 now 1.75
Black and White Scotch imported whiskey, was \$2.00 now 1.50	Pure Peach and Apple Brandy, was \$1.50 now 1.00
Duffy's Pure Malt for old folks, was \$1.50 now .98	Pure Blackberry Wine, was \$1.50 now 1.00
Belle of Lexington, bottled in bond, was \$1.25 now 1.00	

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MR. BRYAN FOR SENATE.

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Chicago, Ill., March 15.—William J. Bryan in an interview today impressed his auditors with the idea that he will be a receptive if not an active candidate for the United States Senate from Nebraska in 1911, to succeed Elmer J. Burkett, Republican.

"Nebraska has adopted the Oregon plan of popular elections," said Mr. Bryan. "I do not know yet whether I will be a candidate. A senatorship I aspired to even when I was a boy. If there seems to be a good chance to elect to the Senate from Nebraska some other Democrat, it will please me better than to be a candidate myself. I have said repeatedly that I hope I may never again be a candidate for office. I would not say that I would not under any circumstances accept a nomination, because no one is wise enough to look into the future and decide on conditions in advance. I think the Democratic party is in better condition than at any time since 1902, and that it has an excellent chance to control Congress in 1910."

Best Prairie Hay.

For sale at Bryan Ice Company, 35 cents per bale.

Little Robert Dunlap Zimmerman.

Friends and relatives here have learned of the sad bereavement that came to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Zimmerman of Altus, Oklahoma, on the 11th of this month, when death claimed their little eleven months old son, Robert Dunlap. It is indeed a great sorrow that has come into the lives of this former happy couple, and they may rest assured of the heartfelt sympathy of their many friends and relatives here.

Election Ordinance

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Bryan:

That an election for City Officers, to wit: Marshal, Secretary and three members of the City Council, shall be held by the qualified voters of said City, at the County Court House in Bryan on the first Tuesday in April next, it being the sixth day of said month; and the presiding officer, together with such others as he may appoint, shall hold said election in accordance with the City Charter and Ordinances and the State Law governing elections.

Adopted by the City Council and approved by the Mayor this 4th day of March, 1909.

J. T. MALONEY, Mayor.
J. B. HINES, City Secy.

Poultry Market.

Eggs, 10
Hens, \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00
Friers, \$2.50, \$2.75 and \$3.00
Broilers, \$2.00 to \$2.50
Geese, \$3.50 to \$4.00, unplucked
Ducks, \$3.00 to \$3.50
Guineas, \$2.00 to \$2.50
Roosters or old Democrats, \$1.80 to \$2.00

Demand is excellent for all kinds of poultry. Egg market dull and on the decline.

Dates Set.

St. Louis, March 16.—The Deep Water convention at New Orleans next fall will be held Nov. 18, 19 and 20.

Badly Beaten With Club.

Denton, Tex., March 16.—In an encounter on a street Will Dittsell was so badly beaten with a club that his recovery is doubtful. Lawrence Coker was placed under arrest.

Defeated In Senate.

Sacramento, Cal., March 16.—By vote of 12 for to 25 against local option was defeated in the senate.

WILES OF WOMEN.

One Minister Invariably Has His Wife Answer All Telephone Calls.

Chicago, March 16.—In elaboration of a recent warning to the University of Chicago divinity students to beware during their ministry of the "wiles of women," Rev. W. E. Barton, a Congregational pastor, explains certain remarks upon the subject made to a Presbyterian ministers' conference.

"I, myself," says he, "have known a number of most diabolical plots to entrap and ruin men of God who were doing in innocence what they deemed to be their duty. These plots are by no means uncommon in the downtown churches."

Rev. Mr. Barton had drawn at the conference a picture of preachers without guile beset by designing women seeking whom they might devour. He declared the average minister a lamb of purity and a child so far as knowledge of the world was concerned. For this lamb, he said, countless women were lying in wait, ready as instruments of the evil one to shear him of his robe of righteousness and hold him up to his flock and the scoffing public as a wolf in sheep's clothing.

"I should like to say that I believe most clergymen to be good men, but many good men are indiscreet," said Rev. Mr. Barton, in further explanation of his remarks. "The same may be said of many church members. A clergyman should so order his life and so safeguard his relation with the women of his congregation that no breath of suspicion should ever be heard."

One of the ministers who heard Dr. Barton's lecture said he invariably had his wife answer the telephone because a woman can spy out evil motives in another woman more rapidly than a man.

Peculiar Pledge.

Montgomery, Ala., March 16.—Regarding the sale of cigarette paper, the merchants of Town Creek, Ala., a small town on the Southern railway near Decatur, have signed a peculiar pledge. All of them agreed to burn all cigarette papers now on hand in stoves and not to purchase any more. They further agreed to prosecute any one who in the future handles them. It is unlawful to handle cigarettes.

Corn Fodder and Ensilage.

Answering a query as to the relative value as a dairy food of corn fodder and corn ensilage, the Country Gentleman says: As regards digestibility the two are about the same, but in actual feeding tests ensilage has greater food value than the stalks, being more completely eaten. Corn ensilage is the better milk producer. In some Vermont station experiments 14,262 pounds of green corn, when dried, fed with a uniform daily allowance of hay and grain, produced 7,688 pounds of milk, while the same weight converted into ensilage and fed with the same daily ration of hay and grain produced 8,525 pounds of milk.

Edie President's Physician.

Washington, March 16.—Major Guy Edie of the United States army medical department, who accompanied President Taft around the world on his now famous tour, is to be the president's family physician, according to a well founded rumor. He will replace Rear Admiral Rixey, who served as physician to Presidents McKinley and Roosevelt.

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